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For: A Cell with Improved Secretion Mediated by MrgA Protein or Homologue

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This paper is in response to the Office Action mailed May 2, 2008.

Amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this document.

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